persons who are to present them, must be sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office two clear days before the Levee. Two other cards, containing similar information, are to be taken to the Levee, one to be delivered to The Queen's Page in Attendance in the Corridor, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to the Queen.

On these occasions no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

DE LA WARR, Lord Chamberlain.

### Foreign-Office, April 4, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Ogilvy Hay as Consul at Akyab for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Alfred Wise as Consul in the Island of Ceylon for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

# Whitehall, April 1, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edmund Batten, of Thorn Falcon, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, and of Lincoln's-inn, Barrister-at-Law, and Jemima his wife, the only surviving child and heir of William Chisholm, of Chisholm, in the county of Inverness, Esq., deceased, Her royal licence and authority that they and their issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Chisholm in addition to and before that of Batten:

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

#### War-Office, Pall-Mall, 5th April, 1859.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant John Lardner Clarke to be Second Captain. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Royal Engineers, Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Duesbery Robertson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel James, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Fanshawe to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Yorke, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April 1859.

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Captain and Brevet-Colonel Frederick Edward Chapman, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Bainbrigge, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain Edward Belfield to be Captain, vice Robertson. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain the Honourable George Wrottesley to be Captain, vice Fanshawe. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain and Brevet-Major Edward Charles Acheson Gordon, on the Seconded List, to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1859. Second Captain and Brevet-Major Whitworth Porter to be Captain, vice Chapman. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain John Joshua Wilson to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Gibb, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859. Second Captain Joshua Henry Smith to be Cap-

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Second Captain Anthony Reynolds Vyvyan Crease to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Cooke, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain Edward Metcalfe Grain to be Captain, vice Hutchinson, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain Augustus Meyer Lochner to be Captain, vice J. G. Jervois, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain and Brevet-Major Philip Ravenhill to be Captain, vice Chesney, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Second Captain Herbert Taylor Siborne to be Captain, vice J. J. Wilson, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Francis Edward Pratt to be Second Captain, vice Belfield. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Alfred George Goodall to be Second Captain, vice Wrottesley. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant John Mervin Cutliffe Drake to be Second Captain, vice Porter. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Edward Renouard James to be Second Captain, vice Wilson. Dated 1st April, 1859. Lieutenant William Bailey to be Second Captain, vice Smith. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Frederick Edward Blackett Beaumont to be Second Captain, vice Crease. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Charles George Gordon to be Second Captain, vice Grain. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Oliver Haldane Stokes to be Second Captain, vice Lochner. Dated 1st April, 1859. Lieutenant James Bevan Edwards to be Second

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Lieutenant John Fretcheville Dykes Donnelly to be Second Captain, vice Siborne. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant John Edwin Cornes to be Second Captain, vice Farrell, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

Lieutenant Alexander De Courcy Scott to be Second Captain, vice Philips, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1859.

### CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend George Winne Langmead, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces, to be Chaplain of the 3rd Class. Dated 15th May, 1855.

## Commission signed by the Queen.

### East Kent Regiment of Militia.

Robert Murphy Nicolls, Esq., late a Captain in the 65th Regiment of Foot, to be Paymaster from the 3rd February, 1859, vice Atkinson, appointed to the 21st Fusiliers. Dated 14th March, 1859.